

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Connecting Nevada

Public Information Meeting

January 2013

Planning Nevada's Transportation Future







PROJECT PURPOSE AND GOALS

- Engage stakeholders
- Establish policies and guidance
- Recognize and encourage multimodal opportunities
- Develop a long-range transportation plan to guide decisions and investments in the future
- Link NEPA and planning



I-15 Las Vegas



Reno Stakeholder Meeting



Primary Needs



Safety



Economic Development



Partnership Development



Improved Access



Environmental Issues



US-50 Eureka



Project Process

PHASE I

DATA COLLECTION

Develop network
Base mapping
Existing studies

STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH - 1

Gather ideas from city officials and staff, business owners, and others throughout the state
Identify issues

TRAVEL DEMAND MODEL

Analyze travel and mobility needs
Plan for how to provide linkage among parts of the greater

STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH - 2

Share findings
Validate projects
with data and
reasons for
identification

CONNECTING NEVADA PLAN

Draft Plan
Public Meeting
Finalize Plan



PHASE II

system

2011 2012 2013

How to stay involved

- 1. Participate in planning
- 2. Get updates from your city
- 3. Check online at www.connectingnevada.org
- 4. Sign up for emails



Input provided by

- Stakeholders
- **Technical Advisory Committee**
- **Steering Committee**
- **Nevada Residents**



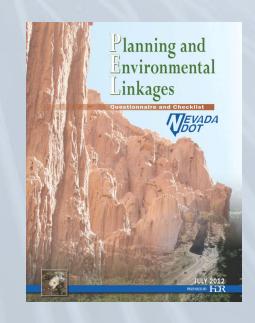
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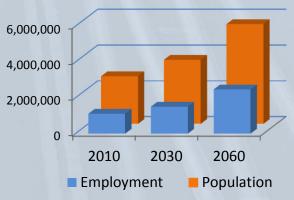




Tools for Connecting Nevada

- Policy guidance improve efficiency and strengthen partnering
- Socioeconomic forecasts what Nevada will look like in the future
- Transit propensity analysis where transit needs are greatest

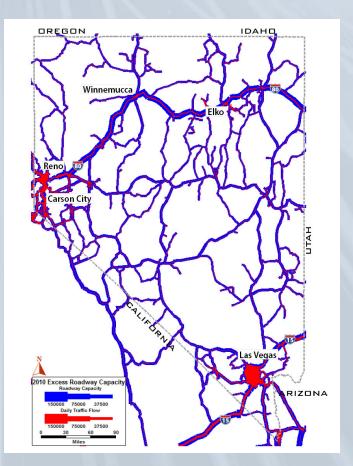






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- Travel demand model forecasts future traffic
- GIS suitability analysis considers different factors at once
- Web mapping provides access to data

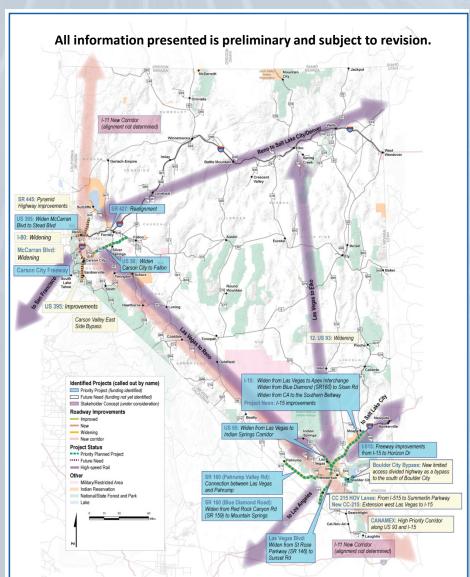


2010 roadway capacity



Projects Identified

- 50 roadway projects
- 21 rail/freight/ multi-modal projects





How to comment



Submit a comment form tonight



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